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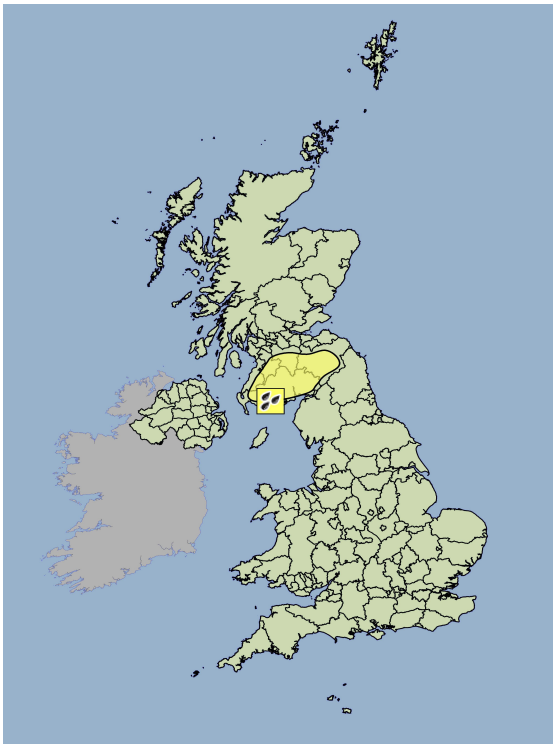

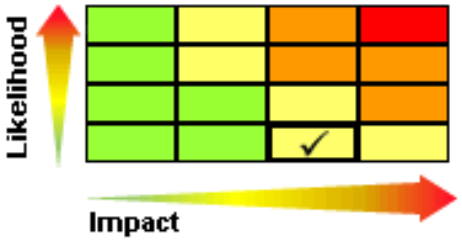

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An active cold will move southeast across Scotland during Friday bringing spells of heavy and persistent rain. Around 20 mm is expected quite widely, with locally 40 mm possible within a 6 to 12 hour period. Exact rainfall amounts remain uncertain, but given the saturated ground these amounts could lead to local impacts from flooding.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert** of **Rain**

Valid from **11:00 on Fri, 05th Feb 2016** until **23:55 on Fri, 05th Feb 2016**

A spell of rain is expected to become heavy for a time over southern Scotland during Friday afternoon and evening, before clearing southeastwards on Friday night.

Please be aware that, due to the saturated ground, further localised flooding and disruption to travel are possible.

This warning has been updated to adjust the area slightly further east and to cater for possible medium impacts. The start time has also been delayed until late morning. We expect to update this warning closer to the time as more information becomes available.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 11:47 on Mon, 01st Feb 2016

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  - Scottish Borders
- Strathclyde
  - East Ayrshire
  - South Ayrshire
  - South Lanarkshire

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